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Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1999/25 of 15 January 1999, S/1999/25/Add.2 of 29 January 1999, S/1999/25/Add.5 of 19 February 1999, S/1999/25/Add.11 of 1 April 1999 and S/1999/25/Add.17 of 14 May 1999.

During the week ending 22 May 1995, the Security Council took action on the following items:

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States (see S/1998/44/Add.28, 33 and 39; see also S/25070/Add.10, 25, 36, 40 and 51; S/1994/20/Add.6, 13, 15, 16, 19, 22, 24, 25, 27, 31, 40, 44, 47 and 49; S/1995/40/Add.5, 7, 8, 16, 22, 28, 32, 33, 35, 41, 48 and 49; S/1996/15/Add.8; and S/1998/44/Add.39)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4006th meeting, held on 19 May 1999 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 17 May 1999 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1999/566).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1999/576) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1999/576, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1241 (1999) (for the text, see S/RES/1241 (1999); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fourth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1999).

The situation in Angola (see S/25070/Add.4, 10, 17, 22, 23, 28, 37, 44 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.5, 10, 21, 25, 31, 35, 38, 42, 43 and 48; S/1995/40/Add.5, 9, 14, 18, 31, 40 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.5, 16, 18, 27, 40 and 49; S/1997/40/Add.4, 8, 11, 12, 15, 26, 29, 34, 39 and 43; S/1998/44/Add.4, 11, 17, 20, 23, 25, 26, 32, 37, 41, 48, 51 and 52; and S/1999/25/Add.1, 2, 7 and 17; see also S/19420/Add.51; S/22110/Add.21; and S/23370/Add.12, 27, 37, 40, 43, 48 and 51)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4007th meeting, held on 19 May 1999 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1999/14; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fourth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1999).

The situation between Iraq and Kuwait (see S/21100/Add.30-33, 36-38, 42, 43 and 47; S/22110/Add.6-9, 13, 14, 17, 20, 24, 25, 32, 37 and 40; S/23370/Add.8, 11, 28, 34 and 39; S/25070/Add.1, 2, 5, 21, 24 and Corr.1, 26 and 47; S/1994/20/Add.8, 39-41 and 45; S/1995/40/Add.14; S/1996/15/Add.11, 12, 23 and 33; S/1997/40/Add.15, 22-24, 36, 42, 43, 45, 48 and 51; and S/1998/44/Add.2, 7, 9, 12, 19, 24, 36, 44, 47 and 50; see also S/23370/Add.10, 32, 35 and 47)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4008th meeting, held on 21 May 1999 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the review and assessment of the implementation of the humanitarian programme established pursuant to Security Council resolution 986 (1995), covering the period from December 1996 to November 1998 (S/1999/481); the report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of Security Council resolution 1210 (1998) (S/1999/573 and Corr.2); and the letter dated 19 May 1999 from the Acting Chairman of the Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1990) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting the report of the Committee (S/1999/582).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1999/588) submitted by Argentina, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1999/588, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1242 (1999) (for the text, see S/RES/1242 (1999); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fourth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1999).